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SOMETHING NEW.

We cure all rough skin on the face—
smooth shaves, latest style hair cuts
shampoo's—and Spanish luster cures the
scalp of dandruff. Shop on North Main
FRED DORN.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Seed Oats for Sale.

I have some No. 1 seed oats at
my place six miles north and three
miles east of Butler.

17 J. H. FISHER.

Representative Braman of Lorain
county has introduced a bill in the
Ohio legislature making it burglary
to rob a hen-house. It is understood
that Senator Ingalls will pay his re-
spects to Mr. Braman when he de-
livers his next speech on the race
problem.—K. C. Star.

Persons wishing to enter a class
in phonography will confer with Prof.
Martin of the Academy at once.
6-11

Robert J. Hall, who was recently
elected President of the Minnesota
Farmers' alliance, is an active and
ardent tariff reformer. The spectacle
of a protectionist at the head of a
farmers' alliance would be almost as
unique as that of a distiller on the
prohibition rostrum.—K. C. Star.

Who Said We are on a Tare

Because we offer such cheap
glassware,
Our prices so reasonable
And goods so reasonable
That people get lost
And think we are selling at cost.
A. L. McBride & Co.

Senator Sherman frankly says
that he has sometimes thought it
would have been better if the ballot
had not been given to the colored
man. Certainly the result has not
justified the proceeding, so far as
any advantage to the freedmen is
concerned. But the right thus
granted can never be taken away by
any action of the government.—
Globe-Democrat.

To All Lovers of Good Horses.

Mambrino Chief Jr. will stand at
Mr. Warnock's Stable 1/2 mile south-
west of Butler, this coming season.
14-11 CHAS. S. CONCKLIN.

Last night Deputy United States
Marshal John Oechsli, stopped off
here between trains, having in charge
a prisoner whom he was taking Kan-
sas City, together with three wit-
nesses to appear against him. The
name of the prisoner is Godfrey
Jones, a merchant and also the may-
or of Iuka Springs, St. Clair county.
He is charged with buying and sell-
ing home raised tobacco.—Clinton
Democrat.

Dr. Wm. H. Kimberlin, Eye, Ear,
Throat and Catarrh Surgeon, will
visit Butler, March 21st and 22nd,
April 25th and 26th and May 23d
and 24th.

Try BLACK-DRAUGHT tea for Dyspepsia.

J. C. McConnell, for the past eight
years business manager of the
Grange store, has severed his con-
nection with that institution. S. A.
Eckles, takes his place and will mar-
age the business. Steve is well
known in this city and county, and
has a host of friends who will be
glad to learn that he has moved
back to Butler.

I have a few choice "short horn"
bulls and heifers for sale; all regis-
tered.
J. C. CLARK. 14-11

Mrs. W. M. Arnold went to Rich
Hill yesterday to visit her parents
for a week.

I sell good coal oil, for 15 cents
per gallon, and will give \$1 for every
gallon bought of me that does
not give satisfaction.
R. M. WRIGHT.

A Sedalia lady advertises: "For
sale—A good piano by a young lady
with beautiful carved legs." But
this does not equal the Harrisonville
dude who advertised: "For sale—A
Jersey cow, to some man who will
have a calf this fall, at a bargain."
People do not always mean what
they say.

Good farm of 320 acres, water,
timber. Land good second bottom
land. Want to rent for a long term.
Call on Bankers Loan & Title Co.
Butler, Mo.

H. B. Collins dehorned over a
hundred head of cattle this week.
Dehorning is a comparatively new
method for this section, but it has
come to stay. People are now won-
dering why it should have ever been
necessary to build a roof over
steers' horns, when the horns can
as easily be left out. It's lots cheaper.
—Clinton Eye.

New Process

Gasoline stove, come and see it, you
won't regret it, its wonderful.

HARPER & ATKINSON,
East Side Square.

There are white republicans in the
south capable of filling all the offices
who would be unobjectionable to any
portion of the people, and when
President Harrison puts a colored
citizen in a postoffice, he not only
annoys the democrats, but also puts
a negro in the white republican's
wood-pile, so to speak.—Boonville
Advertiser.

Virginia Items.

Wiley Crawford left for Eldorado
Springs for his health. He expects
to be absent about six weeks.

Perry Hendersons have an addi-
tion to their family, it is a girl. Mr.
H. wishes the help had come to fill
the plow handles instead of the
wash tub.

Mr. Pat Maloney, accompanied by
Wm. Conaway, was in our town one
day last week on business.

W. T. Cowan has hauled about 40
carloads of rock to build his cellar.
O. M. Drysdale has his store build-
ing moved around, the front to the
south. He expects to build an addi-
tion to it soon.

A horse doctor by the name of
Sisle, has moved in the McFadden
house.

The lost is found—Bill Journey
has come home.

Farmers are going to sow their
land principally in flax this season,
because they can get nothing for
their corn. W. J. Bard is contract-
ing seed at Butler prices and terms,
the seed to be delivered at Butler
Elevator.

Ike Lockridge has sent for a doc-
tor; he has a sick colt.

Joe Arbogast has sold his interest
in his Johnson county land.

Dr. J. J. Mitchell is cribbing lots
of corn at about 17 cents per bushel.

O. M. Drysdale has a new kind of
soap called Starlight; it will wash
cleaner after night than in day time.

Mr. Eugene Ferrell is over from
the south side of the river visiting
Mr. Brights.

Mr. W. H. Brunen is dangerously
low, with consumption.

Mr. Joe Whinnery and Henry
Craig had some difficulty over rent-
ing some land the other day.

Mr. James Whinnery is on the
"grip" list and is threatened with
pneumonia.

Mr. John Billheimer and Miss
Sudie Niekirk were over from Fos-
ter Sunday buggy riding.

Mr. Thomas Ship and Miss Hat-
tie Brown were married on last
Wednesday. Also Daniel Jackson
and Miss Libbie Pointer. We, in
behalf of their many friends, wish
them much joy and happiness.

Frank Howe says if marrying is
catching he wants to get the disease
right away.

A. J. Park is making up a herd of
cattle to take to Kansas to graze
this summer.
RELLIN.

McElree's WINE OF CARDUI for female diseases

Don't buy a gasoline stove till you
have examined the New Process if
you do you will regret it.

HARPER & ATKINSON,
17-21 East Side Square.

Another Arrival of Jacks.

D. A. and H. H. Colyer will have
another shipment of Kentucky jacks
in this city by March 20th. These
jacks are selected from the best jack
stock in Kentucky. They are from
14 1/2 to 16 1/2 hands high, good ages,
good pedigrees, black with mealy
noses, good bone, good weight and
good breeders. A written guaran-
tee goes with every animal, as to its
soundness, breeding, etc., or the
money will be refunded. If you
want a fine jack now is your time.
Come early and get you pick of the
heard, as they will go quick. Cor-
respondence solicited. Address.
D. A. & H. H. Colyer,
Butler, Mo.

WINE OF CARDUI, A Tonic for Women.

Notice of School Election.

Notice is given that an election to
be held in the Butler School district
Bates county, Mo., on the first Tues-
day in April, 1890, the proposition
to make the tax levy for the ensuing
year 65 cents on the \$100 valuation
of the property of said district for
contingent and teachers' funds will
be submitted to the qualified voters
of said school district; said election
to be held at the same time with
the election for officers for said city
and at the place in each ward in
said city of Butler designated by
the board of aldermen of said city
for the election of the said city of-
ficers.

By order of the Butler school board.
W. G. Rose, W. W. Ross,
Clerk, President.

McELREE'S WINE OF CARDUI for Weak Nerves

Everybody Knows

That at this season the blood is filled
with impurities, the accumulation of
months of close confinement in poor-
ly ventilated stores, workshops and
tenements. All these impurities and
every trace of scrofula, salt rheum,
or other disease may be expelled by
taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best
blood purifier ever produced. It is
the only medicine of which "100
doses one dollar" is true.

The earliest reference to shaving is
found in Genesis xii, 14, where we read
that Joseph, on being summoned before
the King, shaved himself. There are
several directions as to shaving in Le-
viticus, and the practice is alluded to in
many other parts of the Holy Scriptures.
Egypt is the only country mentioned in
the Bible where shaving was made a
practice. In all other countries such an
act would have been debasing in the
extreme. Herodotus mentions that the
Egyptians allowed the beard to grow
when in mourning. So particular were
they as to shaving at all other times,
that to neglect it was to set one's self
up as a target for reproach and ridicule.
When the Egyptian artists intended to
convey the idea of a mean, low, slovenly
fellow they always represented him in
full beard.

Unlike the Romans of a later age the
Egyptians did not confine the shaving
privilege to free citizens, but obliged
their slaves to shave both beard and
head.

The priests were about the only class
of citizens who habitually shaved the
head except the slaves.

About 300 years B. C. it became the
custom of the Romans to shave regular-
ly. According to Pliny, Scipio Afri-
canus was the first Roman to shave
daily. In France the shaving custom
was brought about by Louis XIII.
coming to the throne young and beard-
less. The Anglo-Saxons wore their
beards until at the Conquest they were
compelled to follow the example of the
Normans, who shaved. From the time
of Edward III. to that of Charles I.
beards were universally worn. In the
time of Charles II. mustache and whisk-
ers only were worn, and soon after the
reign of that monarch the shaving prac-
tice became general.—St. Louis Repub-
lic.

THE WOMEN'S HUNT.

Females Put On Men's Clothes in Order
to Drive Away Evil Spirits.

A very curious custom is that called
the women's hunt, which prevails among
some of the aboriginal tribes of Chota
Nagore, India. It is observed when-
ever any calamity falls upon the com-
munity—such as, perhaps, a visitation
of cholera.

The women put on men's clothes, take
up arms and go a-hunting—not in the
jungles, but in the nearest village east
of them. They chase pigs and fowls,
take as their own every thing they kill
and levy blackmail from the heads of
the villages for the purchase of liquor,
or else they allow themselves to be
bought off for a small sum of money and
a pig. Toward evening the hunting
party retire to a stream, cook and eat
their meal, drink their liquor and then
return home, having acquitted them-
selves during the day in a thoroughly
masculine and boisterous manner.

Then the village that has been visited
goes on a similar excursion to the vil-
lage east of it, and so on to the eastern
border of the district. By this series of
excursions it is supposed that the evil
spirit is safely conducted out of the dis-
trict without offending its dignity.—
Chicago Times.

"There," said the new lady of the
castle, "are the graves of the former
owner's ancestors. My ancestors," she
added, proudly, "are all living."—Har-
per's Magazine.

It was not a Water Haul.

Our bait was a silver coin
And we salted 'em down.
Lent is on and Fish is off.
White Fish, every grade.
Mackerel No. 1 large shore mess
And bloaters. Extra quality.
For sale by A. L. McBride & Co.

Division Into Wards.

The board of aldermen divided
the city into wards as follows:

The east and west line dividing
the old wards, was left the same ex-
cepting that the line runs on the
north side of the square instead of
around through the court house.

The north ward was divided into
two wards at Havana street; the one
running north from Day's Marble
Works.

The northeast is ward No. 1, and
the northwest is No. 2.

The late south was divided on
Main street.

The southwest ward No. 3, and
the southeast is No. 4.

The place of voting for No. 1,
was established in the Duncan block,
and the judges of election are T. H.
Smith, A. Shane, H. H. Miller and
Fred Dorn.

No. 2, at Geo. L. Smith's livery
stables, with A. H. Lamb, Johnson
Hill, J. H. Norton and H. C. Wyatt
as judges.

No. 3, at the J. H. Pyle building,
with C. C. Cummins, Tom Fisk, A.
C. Vantrees and J. H. Pyle as judges.

No. 4, at the Catterlin opera house,
with Jno. Pharis, H. H. Wells, W.
H. Hupp and T. J. Duncan as
judges.

The election will be held on the
first day of April.

R. S. A. and Steve B.

These two very fine, highbred
stallions will make the season of
1890, at my stables, seven miles
northwest of Rich Hill, and 1 1/2 miles
east of New Home, Mo. They will
be allowed to serve only a limited
number of mares at \$25 to insure a
colt to stand and suck, money due
when colt stands and sucks, mare
parted with or removed from the
neighborhood. Colt to stand good
for service money. Care taken to
prevent accidents, but will not be
responsible should any occur.

PEDIGREE AND DESCRIPTION.

R. S. A. and Steve B. are by the
same sire, foaled in 1887; bred by
R. S. Allen, Franklin county, Ken-
tucky. BY PRETENDER, 1453,
trial 2:24 (owned by Stephen Black
& Son, of Frankfort, Ky.) Steve B.'s
dam was by Veto, a thoroughbred
by Lexington. R. S. A.'s dam was
by Bay Chief, he by Mambrino
Chief. By Dictator (own brother
to Dexter, 2:17 1/2) sire of Jay Eye See,
2:10; Phallas 2:13 1/2 and Director 2:17.
1st dam Winona by Almont, sire of
Westmont, (pacer) 2:13 1/2, Fanny
Witherspoon 2:17, Piedmont 2:17 1/2,
Aldine 2:19 1/2, Early Rose 2:20 1/2. 2nd
dam Dolly, dam of Director, 2:17;
Thorndale 2:22 1/2, Onward 2:25 1/2,
by Mambrino Chief. 3rd dam
Fanny by Ben Franklin. 4th
dam by Saxe Weiner, son of Sir
Arch. Dictator (own brother to
Dexter 2:17 1/2), by Rysdyk's Hamble-
tonian. 1st dam Clara, dam of Al-
ma, 2:28 1/2, by Seely's American Star.
2nd dam, McKinstry mare, dam of
Shark, saddle record 2:27 1/2. Rys-
dyk's Hambletonian by Abdallah.
1st dam Chas Kent mare by Import-
ed Belfounder; 2nd dam One Eye
by Bishop's Hambletonian; 3rd dam
Silvertail by Imported Messenger.
Abdallah by Mambrino. Dam Ama-
zonian by son of Imp. Messenger.
Mambrino by Imported Messenger.
1st dam by Imported Sourcrot.
2nd dam by Imp. Whirligig. Bishop
Hambletonian by Imp. Messenger.
1st dam Pheasant by Imp. Shark.
2nd dam by Imp. Medley. Almont
by Alexander's Abdallah. 1st dam Sally
Anderson by Mambrino Chief. 2nd
dam Kate by Alexander Pilot Jr.
3rd dam the W. H. Pope mare, said
to be thoroughbred. Alexander's
Abdallah by Rysdyk's Hambletoni-
an. 1st dam Katy Darling by Bay
Roman. 2nd dam by Mambrino, son
of Mambrino, by Imported Messen-
ger. Mambrino Chief by Mambrino
Paymaster; dam the dam of Goliah.
Mambrino Paymaster by Mambrino.
dam by imported Paymaster
Mambrino by Imported Messenger.
dam by Imp. Sourcrot. Alexander's
Pilot Jr. by Old Pilot, Canadian
pacer.

R. S. A. is a dark sorrel, three
years old, 15 1/2 hands high, three
white stockings, white stripe in face,
weight about 1,000 pounds, fine
style and action.

Steve B. is a beautiful dark chest-
nut, 15 1/2 hands high, will weigh be-
tween 1,000 and 1,100 pounds, hind
feet white, star in forehead and
white stripe on nose. Both are in-
dividual beauties and are destined
to make great performers.

R. N. ALLEN, JR.
New Home, Mo.

New Goods! New Prices!

We wish to call the attention of the people in general to the
fact that we have just received an immense line of new
Spring goods. Such as Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes,
Hats, Gents Furnishing goods, Ladies' fancy goods, Trunks,
Valises, Notions &c. These goods were bought

FOR THE SPOT CASH

in the very best markets our country affords. We propose
to sell them at bed rock prices. We defy competition and
ask you to compare our prices with any other HOUSE in
the county. We have a large and well assorted STOCK of
first class goods, and we want it distinctly understood,

We are 2nd to None

in low prices and square dealing. Our large and commodi-
ous Building is filled and stacked full of the very latest
styles and novelties, in dry goods. We buy our Boots and
Shoes direct from the Factory. Consequently, we can save
you big money in purchasing of us. We handle the FAMOUS
SEIZ BOOTS AND SHOES, which are given up to be the best
on Earth.

If You are in Need

of anything in the way of a Hat, don't fail to call on us, for
we are sure to suit you in both price and quality. Our cloth-
ing and Gents Furnishing goods department, are chuck full
and running over, with all the latest styles of the season.
We have a splendid line of Mens, Boys and childrens suits;
which are going away down low. Also, a fine assortment of
odd Pants, as good as you can get anywhere in the county.
We mean business, and intend to do just as we advertise.

All We ask of You

is to give us a call and examine our goods, and compare our
prices with those of any other Town in Bates County.
"Quick sales and small profits," is our motto. It will pay
you to come 20 miles and get our prices.

G. W. Lowrance & Son

Brick Block, - Foster, Mo.



Farms For Sale.

One 160 acre farm in Elkhart twp.
Two 80 acre farms in East Boone twp.
One 80 acre farm in Spruce twp.
One 120 acre farm in Walnut town-
ship on which is situated the best
coal bank in Bates county and con-
venient to switch on railroad.
Prices low. Terms easy.
WM. E. WALTON.

ROCHESTER LAMPS

TINWARE, DOLLS, TOYS

AT

COST

AT

HOFFMAN'S NOVELTY
STORE.

DON'T FORGET IT!

That J. R. Pattersons, Barber Shop
North Side Square, is the place to
go for a nice hair cut, shave or
shampoo. Call and see me. Every-
thing firstclass.